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Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicant submits herewith information that the Office may wish to consider in examination of the subject application. Materials submitted for consideration are listed on the attached form PTO-SB/08. English language translations are provided for all, but one foreign language documents submitted. WO 94/13497 is provided as an English language equivalent to related DE9321214 (U1), for which no English language abstract or translation is available.

I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. Accordingly, Applicant petitions the Commissioner to consider this Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted.

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